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PLAIN STATEMENT OF FACTS

With Reference to the Operation of the Dispensary

A PERSONAL INVESTIGATION

Statements by Cumberland County Officials and the Position of Fayetteville's Business Men.

Appropos of the present agitation of the dispensary system for Greensboro, and desiring more light, the light of truth as revealed by facts, in which to present the matter more intelligently to the people of this city, I have just visited Fayetteville for the purpose of quietly investigating the matter there. I found that the facts fully sustain the statements already published in this paper from Messrs. Q. K. Nimocks, S. C. Rankin, J. W. McNeill, G. G. Myrover, A. E. Rankin and R. M. Prior. Their statements were in short, concise form, but just about covered the entire situation as to the advantage of the dispensary over the licensed saloon.

After listening quietly to discussions pro and con, and asking for information from representative men, I submit the following:
John Underwood, a justice of the peace, says there is less crime and drunkenness under the dispensary law than under the open saloon.

W. S. Cook, mayor of Fayetteville, who was formerly opposed to the dispensary and who now occupies neutral ground, says the dispensary has about doubled revenue and the records show less cases on the mayor's docket than under the former system.

D. N. McLean, for six years a justice of the peace says: "I don't think Cross Creek township (the township in which Fayetteville is situated,) has had one-fourth the cases since the dispensary was established that it had for the same length of time under the old system."

Chas. B. McMillan, an alderman and for ten years a justice of the peace, says: "Am an interested property owner, renting thirty-five houses of my own, besides acting agent for a number of others, and I want to testify that the dispensary is far preferable to the bar rooms."

W. H. Powell, a former justice of the peace (who was beaten by the whiskey men) having held the office for 18 years, was three years on the board of alderman and a member of the board of audit and finance, says that in his opinion drunkenness and crime have decreased one-half. Mr. Powell is a merchant and farmer.

T. B. Newberry, a justice of the peace up to January 13, says, under the dispensary system there is less crime, a better observance of the Sabbath, fewer failures and a higher morality.

B. G. Hollingsworth, a merchant running a grocery store at the Clarendon bridge over Cape Fear river, where everybody from the eastern part of the county are compelled to pass going in and out of Fayetteville, says he has occupied his present stand for several years and that during the past eighteen months, the period during which the dispensary has been in operation, he has seen less drunkenness than for any equal period under the license law. He thinks the rate of decrease is more than one-fourth and will probably reach one-half.

The foregoing are some of the numerous expressions we heard in favor of the dispensary system.

THE OPPOSITION.

Here in Greensboro we are confronted by the statement that "the people of Fayetteville are making a hot fight before the legislature to have the dispensary law repealed." From the best information I could gather in one day on the "scene of war" the whiskey men are the opposition. That is a broad statement, but it covers the case. It will be argued that the bank officials there signed the petition for repeal. The bank holds a mortgage for a large sum on the LaFayette Hotel. The hotel owners want to reopen the hotel bar, which, it is alleged, used to run day and night and on Sunday, and was the paying feature of the hotel. That sufficiently explains the interest of the bank officials.

NOTES.

The last work performed by Capt. S. C. Rankin, just before his sudden death last week, was to make preparations to go to Raleigh to fight the proposed repeal of the dispensary law. Some one remarked to him that the stand he was taking might injure his business, when he replied that there was a higher consideration than the dollar.

A large dry goods house manager says his concern has done nearly five thousand dollars more business the past year under the dispensary law, than when barrooms were in use. Nearly four thousand more bales of cotton were sold in Fayetteville last year than when there were open barrooms.

All of Fayetteville's wholesale grocery

houses are advocating the retention of the dispensary.

Five of Fayetteville's physicians signed petitions, four for the dispensary and one against. The others are neutral.

A large majority of retail grocery men have signed a petition in favor of the dispensary.

It is agreed on all sides that labor is easier to control than formerly and there is less vagrancy and begging. The holiday trade for the season just closed was better than it has ever been.

While in the office of a business man a gentleman from the country walked in and was asked if the dispensary question should be submitted to a vote what per cent. of the white population in the country would vote in favor of it. He replied that he thought four out of every five would do so.

THOSE WHO FAVOR IT.

I have shown where the business men stand and it will be of interest to state where the church people are on the subject as church people. In the past, there got up only one Baptist signed against the dispensary. All officials in the Presbyterian churches signed in favor of it. All officials in the Methodist churches signed in favor of the dispensary except two and they didn't sign against it.

I give these statements just as I secured them in Fayetteville, without varnish or coloring. Any one or all of them can be verified by writing to Mr. Q. K. Nimocks, a prominent merchant and an official in the Methodist church, or to Mr. Jno. A. Oates, editor of the North Carolina Baptist.

And these are not all. Other points will be mentioned later. Meantime I will be glad to talk with any one who is interested in the movement.

R. M. Phillips.

THE INJURED MAN DEAD.

Remains Buried By The Southern In Greene Hill Cemetery.

C. M. Coble (or Couble as some papers have it) who was stealing a ride on the Southern railway Friday night and in attempting to get off as the train was slowing up for the station here fell beneath the wheels, and was badly injured as announced in this paper Saturday, died Sunday morning about two o'clock at Wagner's boarding house on Lewis street. The remains were buried in Greene Hill cemetery yesterday afternoon.

It was seen from the first that Coble could not live. He was placed upon a cot and Dr. Broadnax summoned, who examined him and saw at once that amputation of the injured leg would be necessary to save the man's life, and that, even seemed a hopeless chance as the man's condition was such that he would have died under the surgeon's knife, according to Dr. Broadnax. He was placed in a room at the depot until Saturday morning when he was removed to Wagner's. Coble's sister in Salisbury was communicated with regarding the caring for the injured man but she declined to give any instructions and threw the responsibility back on the road. Authorities of the road asked the city to take charge of the man, but the city refused. The Southern railway officials felt that they were in no way responsible for the accident and should not be expected to care for the man. He was aboard their train without a ticket and without their knowledge or consent, and in attempting to get off, by reason of being drunk was thrown or fell beneath the wheels and was mangled in such manner that he died.

After he died notice was given his sister in Salisbury and answer received that if the Southern would bear the funeral expense the body might be sent there, otherwise not to send it. Hence the burial here. In justice to those upon whom the responsibility of caring for the man was forced we will state that at no time after the accident was the action of the man's heart deemed by the physician to be strong enough to keep him alive while undergoing an operation. Hence it was not attempted.

Hoyt Ordered to Santiago.

By Wire to THE TELEGRAM.

Washington, Jan. 23—Henry M. Hoyt, assistant United States attorney and son of ex-Governor Hoyt, of Pennsylvania, has been ordered to Santiago to advise with General Wood on legal questions and to represent the legal department of the United States there.

On a Pleasure Trip.

By Wire to THE TELEGRAM.

Washington, Jan. 23—President McKinley and party of friends left this morning on a trip down the Potomac in the light house tender Sylph. About fifteen persons, guests of the white house, accompanied the party. Mrs. McKinley also went.

Was Thought to Be Lost.

By Wire to THE TELEGRAM.

New Orleans, Jan. 23—Rev. Edward H. Budd, who was thought to have been lost on the Paul Jones, is alive. Owing to the detention of the vessel in passing Allouree the Rev. Budd returned here.

LARGEST DEAL IN TEN YEARS

A Transaction Involving Fifteen Million Dollars

OUTLOOK FOR A LONG DEADLOCK

In the Pennsylvania Senatorial Contest—Jenks to Remain in the Fight to the End.

By Wire to THE TELEGRAM.

Knoxville, Jan. 23—The largest business transaction in the south for ten years has just been announced here. It involves fifteen million dollars. The Virginia Coal, Iron and Railway Company has bought the blast furnaces of Max Meadows of Pulaski and Roanoke, Va. and Bristol, Tenn.; also the Bristol and Elizabeth town and South Atlantic and Ohio railroad company becomes owner of 125,000 acres of coal lands 50,000 acres of ore lands, two railroads and nine furnaces.

OUTLOOK FOR LONG DEADLOCK.

Harrisburg, Jan. 23—The outlook today for a long deadlock in the senatorial contest is more promising than at any time since the fight began. Attorney-General Elkins said he didn't expect any conclusion for several days, but intimated the end might come at any time. Frank W. Leach who is regarded as one of the most clear-headed of the Quay calculators, gave his opinion today that the fight will continue for weeks and estimates that Quay can hold out at least a hundred months, if necessary. He admits that a few can be pulled away under pressure, but not enough to affect the result. It is understood that Jenks will remain in the field to the end in order to hold the democrats firmly in line and prevent the election of Quay.

NOTES FROM HIGH POINT.

The Local News From Our Neighbor Briefly Told.

TELEGRAM BUREAU.
HIGH POINT, N. C. Jan. 23

Mr. H. E. Cartland, of Lexington, spent yesterday in the city with his parents.

J. M. Sechrest and son Mallie went to Danville yesterday to look at some tobacco there today.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hedrick, of Lexington, were in the city yesterday to visit Mrs. Hedrick's mother, Mrs. Shepard.

Dr. L. I. Bodenhamer and daughter Miss Nellie who have been in South Carolina for several weeks visiting relatives, returned home Saturday night.

U. S. Marshall Millikan, of Greensboro, was in the city this morning awhile.

Prof. and Mrs. Carr, of Trinity, passed through this morning en route to Greensboro.

Mr. Will Robins, of Raleigh, passed through this morning en route to Trinity to spend a few days gunning.

Miss Hattie Tomlinson, of Archdale, spent a few hours in the city this morning.

Luther Jones, of Richmond, spent yesterday in the city with his sister Mrs. E. D. Steele.

One of Bright Leonard's houses, down on Leonard row, was destroyed by fire Saturday night about 2 o'clock. No one was living in it. The loss was not much.

The Whitney players arrived here yesterday on No. 36 from Gastonia. They will open their three nights' engagement here tonight in the opera house by introducing "The Little Widow." There are ten in number of this company, and a good performance is expected.

Editor Foote and Murphy, Brewer, of the Daily Citizen force, spent yesterday in Thomasville.

W. J. Armfield, of Asheboro, was in the city yesterday and returned today.

Zeila Jones was drunk last Saturday night and trying to paint the town red when Chief Bennett secured her company and escorted her to the guard house where she remained until she paid her fine and was released yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Ida Beeson, of Greensboro, spent Sunday in the city with her parents.

Lawyer Plokeno, of Lexington, was in the city yesterday on a very pleasant business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Flem Norman, of Steeds, were in the city yesterday. Mr. Norman left this morning for home. Mrs. Norman remained over a few days with her parents.

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A YOUNG FORGER.

"Detective" T. R. Dunn Charged with Forging a Check.

For several days there has been around Greensboro a young man purporting to be a professional detective and giving his name as T. R. Dunn. He had an important case under way and frequently sought Officer Scott of the night force to tell him of the success he was having in his work. He told everyone whom he met that he was a detective, something not commonly practiced by the members of that profession. Friday Dunn went to M. R. Farrar's jewelry store and after selecting a handsome gold watch handed Mr. Farrar a check for \$62.00 signed by J. B. Smith, of Guilford College. Not knowing his customer Mr. Farrar accompanied him to the National bank to ascertain whether or not the check was valid. They refused to cash it and young Dunn "dunn" without his watch.

He turned up in High Point Saturday and bought from the High Point Clothing Co. a suit of clothing and other wearing apparel. He paid for this with a check for \$58.55 on E. M. Caldwell & Brother of this city.

He returned to Greensboro Saturday night and, going to the Allen, treated all the guests to cigars. He was now a full fledged dead game sport.

Yesterday officers Scott and Weathers secured a warrant for his arrest and called on him at the Allen. He quietly surrendered himself to the officers and he was searched. Two splendid S. & W. pistols, a gold watch and a ten dollar bill were found in his pockets. He is now in jail and will have a hearing before Mayor Taylor at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

Messrs E. D. Steele and Lee Cartland, of the High Point clothing Co., came down at noon to look after their interests in the case.

Transport Superintendent.

By Wire to THE TELEGRAM.

Washington, Jan. 23—The war department today ordered Lieutenant-colonel Jones, chief quartermaster, to assume the duties of General Superintendent of the army transport service with office in New York.

THE MARKETS.

Closing Quotations by Private Wire to W. A. Porterfield & Co.

W. A. Porterfield & Co., commission brokers, furnish us with the following closing quotations of the New York Stock exchange and the Chicago Board of Trade:

NEW YORK, Jan. 23, 1899	
American tobacco.....	148½
Atch., Top. & Santa Fe.....	63½
B. and O.....	27½
C. and O.....	27½
Chic. Bur. and Quinoy.....	139½
Chic. Gas.....	112½
Del., Lack. and Western.....	116½
Delaware and Hudson.....	63
Federal Steel.....	107
Erie.....	104
General Electric.....	107
Jersey Central.....	104½
Louisville and Nashville.....	67½
Lake Shore.....	115½
Manhattan Elevated.....	47½
Missouri Pacific.....	108
Metropolitan and S. railway.....	157½
Northern Pacific.....	80½
National Lead.....	38½
New York Central.....	137
Pacific Mail.....	46½
Reading.....	24½
Rock Island.....	120½
Southern Railway.....	48½
Southern Railway Pr.....	128½
St. Paul.....	131½
Sugar Trust.....	131½

The following are the closing quotations of the Chicago Board of Trade:

CHICAGO, Jan. 23, 1899.	
Wheat, May.....	72
" Dec.....	69½
" Jan.....	69½
Corn, Dec.....	35½
" Jan.....	38½
" July.....	38½
" May.....	38
Oats, July.....	26½
" Jan.....	26½
" July.....	28
" May.....	28
Pork, Dec.....	1055
" July.....	1010
" Jan.....	1035
" May.....	1035
Lard, Nov.....	602
" Dec.....	567
" Jan.....	567
" May.....	590
Ribs, Nov.....	500
" Dec.....	517
" Jan.....	527
" May.....	600
Cotton, Sept.....	601
" Jan.....	601
" Feb.....	601
" March.....	602
" April.....	602
" May.....	602
" June.....	602
" July.....	602
" Aug.....	602
" Oct.....	602
" Nov.....	602
" Dec.....	602
Spot cotton.....	61
PM, 71½; Calla, 73½, Curb	

MAY GET STUCK IN HOUSE.

The Probable Fate of The Nicaragua Canal Bill.

NORTH CAROLINA LEFT AGAIN.

No Appropriation For The Improvement of The Dismal Swamp Canal.

Other Washington News.

Special to the Telegram.

Washington, Jan. 23—The passage of the Morgan bill for the construction of the Nicaraguan canal by such a large margin, as 48 to 6, does not indicate that the bill will be enacted into law. Indeed there is considerable doubt at present as to the house of representatives passing any bill for construction of a canal at the present session of congress. The interstate and foreign commerce committee of the house are greatly divided as to the character of the bill to be reported, and the passage of the Morgan bill, which is manifestly defective in many particulars, will only add to their burden. Senator Martin, of Virginia, who was one of the few members voting against the bill stated Saturday afternoon that he did not believe any bill for the construction of the canal would be enacted into law during the present session, as the time remaining is too short. If the house should pass a bill, it will not be the Morgan bill, unless it is radically amended, in which event it would have to go to a committee on conference.

Senator Butler, of North Carolina, voted for the passage of the bill, while Senator Pritchard did not vote, being paired. It is understood had the senator voted, however, he would have supported the Morgan bill.

North Carolina, as is usually the case, comes out of the little end of the horn, in the river and harbor appropriation bill which has just been made public. No appropriation is given for the improvements of the Dismal Swamp canal, which was urged by both Virginia and North Carolina delegations coming to Washington. As is usually the case, the bulk of the appropriations go to reliably republican states. So far as can be ascertained only one item of interest to North Carolina is contained in the bill for this year. The item referred to is an appropriation of \$150,000 for Cape Fear river, at and below Wilmington.

Senator Pritchard stated Saturday that he would offer his proposition for the care of the confederate graves, in the form of an amendment to the civil sundry appropriation bill. His amendment will be introduced in the senate as soon as he can get some data from the war department relative to the amount which will be required for the work. He does not, at present, intend to provide for the marking of graves of the confederate soldiers in the city or private graveyards, but it will include only the marking of graves in the purely national confederate cemeteries in the south, or other sections where they may happen to be located. If the work is successful, and meets with the approval of the people of the south, as it doubtless will, it is more than likely that in the course of time the scope of the work will be extended so as to include city or private cemeteries.

Senator Pritchard has introduced a bill providing for the establishment and erection of a military post near the city of Raleigh. The bill carries an appropriation for the purpose of establishing such a post. It has been referred to the committee on military affairs.

Among prominent men in Washington is representative-elect Levi, of New York city, who is well known as the owner of the estate of Thomas Jefferson, at Monticello, Virginia. Mr. Levi tonight will give a banquet at Chamberlins Hotel to a number of his personal friends in congress. As Mr. Levi is one of the candidates for the leadership of the democratic minority in the next congress, it is expected many prominent members will be in attendance. He will remain in Washington for several days, and may visit Monticello before returning to New York city.

Postmasters have been appointed in North Carolina as follows: Ashley D. Mizell, Amherst, Martin county; Maggie D. Parker, Aversboro, Harnett county; Jackson Sparks, Elmer, Yancey county; Abraham H. Reavis, Nicholson's Mills, Iredell county; P. Y. Spence Ruff, Wake county; Rufus C. Long, Tuscola, Haywood county; William T. Clark, Wolfville, Union county.

Senator Butler has presented a petition to the Senate from citizens of North Carolina, asking for the enactment of legislation to prohibit the sale of liquor in cantens to the army and navy and of soldiers' homes, and in immigrant stations and public buildings.

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Is the dispensary a step in the right direction? For an answer we ask all to study the statements of facts coming from towns where the dispensary is in operation. You are at perfect liberty to take both sides and investigate the men engaged in fighting for and against it, and the motives which actuate them.

An ordinance is being prepared and will be submitted to the board of aldermen at their next meeting the requirements of which amount virtually to the curfew law of England. If enacted and enforced it will prove a great blessing to the boys of the city who are allowed to go anywhere at night and often stay out late and who are sowing wild oats without a thought of the cost of reaping them.

In the rivers and Harbors appropriation bill, reported to congress, North Carolina is left out, as usual, with the exception of one item for the Cape Fear river below Wilmington. The Dismal Swamp canal has a dismal show for improvement so far as a federal appropriation goes, though this state and Virginia were both pulling for it. As usual the bulk of appropriations go to republican states.

Perhaps no measure introduced in the present legislature will receive more hearty commendation at the hands of patriotic people than that introduced by Mr. H. C. Wall, of Richmond county, which provides for the publication, by the state, of a history of North Carolina soldiers in the civil war. Mr. Wall supported his measure by one of the most eloquent speeches ever heard on the floor of the house. It is right that this be done, and being right the legislature will order it done.

The sentiment seems to be pretty general among lawyers against extending the criminal court circuits or creating new ones. It is believed the provision for official court stenographers will enlarge the capacity of the superior courts to expedite business and there is an increasing sentiment in favor of separate terms for criminal and civil causes. It is hoped that means will be devised to more satisfactorily dispose of matters in litigation and relieve the congested conditions of the superior court dockets.

The Mid-Winter Sale.

The great mid-winter sale of clothing, hats and furnishings now in progress at the Fishplate-Katz Co. has attracted many people, some prompted by curiosity and others by their wants and both have gone away pleased by the offerings of the Fishplate-Katz Co.

This sale will continue 10 days more and additional values will be offered the public. Men's suits of the best manufacturers are offered at prices that parties not in actual need of them now will be tempted to buy them for future use. The salesmen of this house will be pleased to show their patrons through.

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You want a remedy that is pleasant and safe to take.

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The Hamilton Club, of Chicago, will celebrate Appomattox day on the 8th of next April, and will have, among other speakers, Governor Roosevelt, an honorary member; General Wheeler, who will respond to the toast "Lee," and General Lew Wallace, who will speak of Grant.

A POWERFUL SERMON

Preached To The Congregation of Centenary Yesterday.

At Centenary church yesterday morning Dr. W. L. Grissom preached one of the grandest sermons that a Greensboro congregation has listened to in many a day. It was a special missionary sermon from the old missionary text, "Go Ye into all the World and Preach the Gospel to every Creature" (Mark 16, 15). The text was dealt with in a broader scope, possibly than any other man ever used it and by his originality, deep thought and beautiful language, Dr. Grissom held the rapt attention of his large congregation for exactly an hour. Replete with beautiful thought, tersely expressed and beautifully delivered the sermon was indeed powerful and one that will do much good.

At the close of the service nearly the entire missionary assessment of the church was subscribed.

Dr. Grissom is missionary secretary of the Western North Carolina conference and it is his intention, we believe, to visit every charge in the conference this year. If he is able to do this, the missionary work of the conference will have been well done when that body convenes again. Surely the conference has done well in choosing one of its most brilliant men to this great work.

Go Where The Crowd Goes.

Abounding in fun of a refined nature brilliant with catchy music, songs and dances, overflowing with mirth, wit and melody, elaborately set, staged, costumed and enacted by a superior company is "The Lightning Express," Rentfrow's celebrated comedy which has created such a furore the past season, is to be the opening bill of the Jolly Pathfinders at the opera house Monday night. Who that has seen The Jolly Pathfinders has not roared at their eccentricities, wit and humor, all of which to a degree belong to the play, but would be as nothing in any other hands than of these able artists who couldn't be anything else but funny if they tried, and it seems as if they had condensed the amusement of a whole lifetime in their repertoire of musical comedies and dramas. Rentfrow's famous metropolitan band and orchestra will be a strong feature of the show, and they will remain one week, presenting an entirely new programme every evening. Prices will be 15, 25, 35 cents. Seats on sale at Fariss' drugstore.

Horrible agony is caused by Piles, Burns and Skin Diseases. These are immediately relieved and quickly cured by De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve. Beware of worthless imitations. Howard Gardner.

At Chattanooga, Tenn., yesterday, policeman Robert Baird, who was called to quell a fight among discharged negro soldiers from two companies recently mustered out, was stabbed, perhaps fatally, by a negro, John Glover.

Mr. Eliza Berry, of this place, says he never had anything to do him so much good and give such quick relief from rheumatism as Chamberlain's Pain Balm. He was bothered with shooting pains from hip to knee until he used this liniment, which affords prompt relief.—B. F. Baker, druggist, St. Paris, Ohio. For sale by C. F. Holton.

"The English lash away at us," says the Paris L'Autorite; "Russia abandons us, Germany scorns us, Italy hates us, and the pig-dog of a Siamese, to whom we scarcely gave dog's food at the Elysee, barks at our heels." In a little time, thanks to the republic, one will blush to be a Frenchman.

La Grippe is again epidemic. Every precaution should be taken to avoid it. Its specific cure is One Minute Cough Cure. A. J. Shepherd, publisher Agricultural Journal and Advertiser, Eldon, Mo., says: "No one will be disappointed in using One Minute Cough Cure for La Grippe." Pleasant to take, quick to act. Howard Gardner.

A university fellowship in English literature has been established by Charles Scribner, of New York City, in memory of his father, the late Charles Scribner. This fellowship will yield the sum of \$500 annually, and will be awarded for the first time this year.

Coughing injures and inflames sore lungs. One Minute Cough Cure loosens the cold, allays coughing and heals quickly. The best cough cure for children. Perfectly harmless. Howard Gardner.

Senator Hawley, of Connecticut, has filed the following sworn statement of his election expenses, in accordance with law: "Amount of disbursements, nothing. Amount of expenses, postage not to exceed \$3. Amount of contributions, nothing. And I designated no person to act as my political agent."

The Deadly Grip

Is again abroad in the land. The air you breathe may be full of its fatal germs. Don't neglect the "Grip" or you will open the door to Pneumonia and Consumption and invite death. Its sure signs are chills with fever, headache, dull heavy pains, mucous discharges from the nose, sore throat and never-let-go cough. Don't waste precious time treating this cough with troches, tablets, or poor, cheap syrups. Cure it at once with Dr. King's New Discovery, the infallible remedy for bronchial troubles. It kills the disease germs, heals the lungs and prevents the dreaded after effects from the malady. Price 50c and \$1.00. Money back if not cured. A trial bottle free at C. E. Holton's drugstore.

BABY'S PHOTOGRAPH.

An Example of What the Man of the Camera Endures.

A young photographer, when asked what sort of subjects presented the greatest difficulties to him, replied without a moment's hesitation, "Babies."

"For instance," he continued, "I took photographs of a little 10-month-old fellow the other day in six different positions. Yesterday I sent proofs to his mother, and today she brought them in."

"I'm sorry," she said, without any obvious grief, "but none of these negatives will do."

"Not one of the six?" I inquired, though I was prepared for what was to follow.

"No," she said, "I'm afraid not. You see, I like this one very well, though, of course, it doesn't do baby justice, but his Aunt Ellen says it's an absolute caricature of the dear little fellow. The one she likes I don't care for at all, and his papa says he should never know for whom it was intended. It looks so cross, and baby is such a sunny child."

"The one he likes, this smiling one, I shouldn't consider for a moment, for it makes baby's mouth look so much larger than it really is."

"His grandmother chose that one, but as Cousin Fanny said, there's a very queer look to the child's eyes in it—very queer! However, she likes that one where he's almost crying, that sober one. You ought to have heard baby's grandfather when she said she liked it."

"He really decided the thing, for what he said seemed so sensible. He asked me why I didn't have some more taken and see if there wouldn't be at least one that would really look like baby. Now, when can he sit again? It's hard for me to spare the time, but you see it is the only thing to be done!"—Glasgow Herald.

STROKES OF A RAZOR.

How Many Do You Suppose It Takes To Shave a Man?

"Now that you've finished shaving me, how many strokes of the razor did it require?" asked the man in the chair, as he straightened up to have his hair combed.

"That's pretty hard to tell," said the barber.

"Of course it is. But you've been in the business how long?"

"Fifteen years."

"You ought to know by this time about how many strokes of the razor it requires to shave a man, supposing that you go over his face a second time."

"I might make a guess at it."

"All right. What's your guess? Remember that I have a hard beard."

"Well, I should say about 135."

"You're a good guesser, I don't think. Some time ago I got into the habit of counting the strokes of a razor every time I was being shaved. It's a good way to employ your mind. In shaving me you just made 783 strokes with the razor."

"I wouldn't have believed it."

"No man believes it until he takes the trouble to count. In my case I never knew the number to fall below 500, and it has gone more than 800 at times. I call it a stroke every time the razor is brought forward and then drawn back. I should judge that there are no fewer than 400 strokes in a first class shave. You remember that, and probably you can win a few bets."—New York World.

Bank Impertinence.

The Philadelphia Record tells of an old Pennsylvania farmer who recently came into possession of a check for \$200. It caused him a great deal of anxiety, and for a long time he could not muster up the courage to have it cashed. Finally, while on a trip to town, he summoned up nerve enough and, striding into the bank, presented the check.

The teller glanced at it hastily, and then, after the fashion of his kind, brusquely asked, "What denomination?"

"Fifteen hundred, don't you see? But what's that got to do with it?" as he indignantly replied the old farmer, to the great astonishment of the bank official.

It required several minutes' explanation before the teller could get the old man to understand his question, and then the latter took his money and departed, with sunny growls derogatory to banks in general.

Equal to the Occasion.

In 1840 a great convention was held in Baltimore by the young men of what was then known as the Whig party for the purpose of ratifying the nomination of General William Henry Harrison for the presidency. There was no hall in the city large enough to hold the crowd of delegates who attended. The convention accordingly met at the Canton race track, and when the great Whig orator of the state, who was chairman of the Young Men's national committee, arose to call the meeting to order he was so impressed by the vastness of the assemblage before him that instead of the usual formula he exclaimed, "The nation will please come to order!"—Baltimore Sun.

An Insult.

A Caribou (Me.) man lately wandered into a remote hotel that doesn't keep a dictionary, and on coming down in the morning was asked by the landlord how he rested.

"Oh," replied the gentleman, "I suffered nearly all night with insomnia!"

The landlord took offense at this and roared, "I'll bet you \$2 there ain't one in my house!"—Exchange.

Wisdom in a Nutshell.

Human life is like a game at dice where we ought not to throw for what is most commodious to us, but to be content with our casts, let them be never so unfortunate.—Plato.

Mr. S. A. Fackler, editor of the Micanopy (Fla.) Herald, with his wife and children, suffered terribly from La Grippe. One Minute Cough Cure was the only remedy that helped them. It acted quickly. Thousands of others use this remedy as a specific for La Grippe and its exhausting after-effects. Never fails. Howard Gardner.

One-Cent-a-Word

(Advertisements inserted in this column at one cent per word for each insertion.)

TO THOSE WHO RIDE WHEELS. It would be wise in you to bring your wheels to W. H. White and have them overhauled while repairing is not in a rush, so when the weather gets good you can get on your wheel in first-class order. If my work does not give satisfaction it will not cost you anything. Come to my place for first-class work. W. H. White. j-17-lmc 117, E. Market street.

FOR SALE—A house and lot on Martin street, at a bargain, for cash. Apply to A. Weatherly, 325 E. Lee street. j18-lwk

FRESH supply of Barley Chop and Dairy Feed at Boycott's, 116 West Market, Phone 156.

SULPHURE the great skin cure and blood purifier. Sold by John B. Fariss, Druggist.

SULPHURE will cure every form of skin and blood disease, kidney trouble and rheumatism. Sold by John B. Fariss, Druggist.

ONLY 10c. Peerless Corn Cure at Gardner's, corner opposite post-office.

ONE HUNDRED DOLLAR Family horse at fifty dollars tomorrow. P. L. Groome. j10-lf

GO TO GARDNER'S for hot and cold drinks.

HOLIDAY NECKWEAR of the famous Rufus Waterhouse make ready in all the shapes known to the trade. Matthew, Chi-holm, Stroud & Rankin.

PROPERTY for sale and houses for rent in all parts of the city.—Apply to A. Weatherly, 325 E. Lee St. j19-lm

FOR good Cigars, go to Gardner's drug store, corner opposite post-office.

FOUND—Black and Tan. Enquire of Lindau. s22-lf

FOR SALE—Old newspapers, ingood order, 15 cents per hundred, at this office.

FOR RENT—Two rooms, suit small family without children. Apply No. 324, N. Greene street. s31-lf

RED MEAT tobacco, at Gardner's. Cor. opp. postoffice.

One Minute Cough Cure, cures That is what it was made for.

OPERA HOUSE

One Week, Monday Jan. 23.

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RENTFROW'S BIG STOCK CO.

The Jolly Pathfinders. Prime Ideal Silver Cornet Band and Operatic Orchestra, presenting a repertoire of all new dramas and comedies.

Monday night the sensational comedy drama, THE LIGHTNING EXPRESS.

8 Big Specialty Acts 8

See the wonderful moving picture machines, showing all the latest views. Saturday matinee, the great spectacular drama, "Cinderella, or the Glass Slipper."

Night Prices—Adults, 25 and 35 cents; Children, 15 cents.

Matinee prices, 10 and 20 cents. Ladies' Free on Monday and Tuesday nights if accompanied by an escort holding a paid 35 cent ticket.

Seats now on sale at Fariss' drug store.

To Our Friends and Patrons:

In closing our books for the year 1898 we find we have quite a number of small accounts which in themselves are trifling, but the aggregate would make quite a nice sum. While we wish to be obliging and courteous to our customers and try to please all, we must insist upon getting our business up upon more of a Cash Basis.

We Are House Furnishers.

We can Furnish your House Complete from Kitchen to Parlor. If you cannot pay cash, we will make terms so you will not miss paying for your goods

\$10 Hall Tree; equal to any \$14 Hall Tree in the city.

\$2.50 for this large, well made trunk, with tray.

Book-cases and China-closets from \$8 up.

Domestic, New Home, Climax and New Ideal sewing machines from \$15 up.

75 baby carriages to select from, and prices low

We have the prettiest lot of odd chairs and parlor pieces you ever saw for the money.

Cook Stoves, \$6, \$8, and \$10; cheapest in the city.

\$3 for this carpet sweeper, which is very nice and cheap.

N. J. McDUFFIE, House Furnisher and Undertaker.

Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley R'lway.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

Southern Railway

IN EFFECT DEC. 4, 1898.

This condensed schedule is published as information and is subject to change without notice to the public.

Trains leave Greensboro, N. C.

7:35 a. m.—No. 37 daily, Washington & Southern Limited for Charlotte, Atlanta, Birmingham, Memphis, Montgomery, Mobile, New Orleans and all points south and southwest. Connects at Charlotte for Columbia, Augusta, Savannah, Jacksonville and Tampa. Through Pullman Sleeper New York to New Orleans; New York to Memphis; New York to Tampa. Dining Car and Vestibule Coach Washington to Atlanta.

7:37 a. m.—No. 11, daily, for Charlotte, Atlanta and all points South. Connects at Salisbury for Asheville, Knoxville and Chattanooga. Through sleeper New York to Nashville.

8:10 a. m.—No. 8, daily, for Danville, Richmond and local stations.

12:00 p. m.—No. 36, daily, United States Fast Mail, for Washington, Richmond and all points North. Carries through Pullman Drawing Room Buffet Sleeper New Orleans to New York; Jacksonville to New York; Pullman Tourist Sleeping Car on Mondays, via New Orleans and Southern Pacific, San Francisco to Washington.

7:24 p. m.—No. 35, daily, United States Fast Mail for Charlotte, Atlanta, and all points South and Southwest. Connects at Charlotte for Columbia, Augusta, Savannah, Jacksonville and local stations. Pullman Drawing Room Buffet Sleeper New York to New Orleans; New York to Jacksonville; Charlotte to Birmingham; Charlotte to Augusta; Pullman Tourist Sleeping Car on Wednesdays Washington to San Francisco.

10:43 p. m.—No. 38, daily, Washington & Southern Limited for Washington and all points North. Pullman Sleepers to Richmond, Washington and New York.

6:45 p. m.—No. 7, daily, for Charlotte and local points.

8:10 a. m.—No. 8, daily, for Raleigh, Goldsboro and local points. Connects at Selma with train for Tarboro, Norfolk and local points; as Goldsboro for Newbern and Morehead City.

No. 16 leaves Greensboro 12:10 p. m. daily for Raleigh, Goldsboro and local points.

10:50 p. m.—No. 12, daily, for Raleigh, Norfolk, and points east. Pullman Sleeper Greensboro to Norfolk.

8:15 a. m.—No. 105 for Winston, Wilkesboro and local points. Daily to Winston-Salem. Daily except Sunday to Wilkesboro.

12:20 p. m.—No. 107, daily except Sunday for Winston-Salem.

7:30 p. m.—No. 109, daily for Winston-Salem.

First sections of all scheduled freight trains carry passengers between points at which they are scheduled to stop.

JOHN M. CULP, FRANK S. GANON, Traffic Manager, 34 V. P. & Gen. Mgr. W. A. TURK, Gen. Pass. Agt., Washington, D. C. R. L. VERNON, T. P. A., Charlotte, N. C.

Some people who have defective eyesight

seem to think anything will do so it is a glass in front of their eyes. This is not right. Each eye should be thoroughly examined and if GLASSES will correct the defect, have nothing but those that thoroughly meet the demand. The same principle applies to the TEETH. My practice and whole study and attention is confined to THE TEETH and THE EYES. Consultation and Examination Free.

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To take effect Monday, May 16th, 1898, at 5 a. m.

EASTERN TIME STANDARD.

DAILY EX-SUNDAY

TRAIN NO. 1.

P. M.

2:20 0 Gulf 12:45

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2:46 7 Haw Br'nch 12:17

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Connects at Gulf with the C. F. & Y. V. and at Hallison (C. & W. Junction) with the Carthage & Western Railroad.

FRANK D. JONES,

For 10 DAYS More.

Great
Mid-Winter
CLOTHING
SALE
CONTINUES

Fishplate-Katz Co.

Opp. McAdoo Hotel

Terms - - Cash

500 Men's Colored Shirts, former prices \$1 and \$1.25, price now 75 cents.
400 Men's White Shirts, Wamsutta Muslin, 2100 linen bosom, open front, closed front, plaited bosom, former prices \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, price now 75 cents.
20 dozen Fancy Colored Shirts we sold for \$5 and 75 cents, you can now have your choice for 40 cents.

15 dozen Men's White Unlaundered Pearl Shirts, in all sizes, 14 to 18, that we have sold for years at \$1, price now 75 cents.

All our 50 cent Neckwear, including Puffs, Ascots, Four-in-Hands, Tecks, price now 35 cents. All 25 cent neckwear, in all styles and shapes, now 15c.

Scrivens Elastic Seam Drawers, winter weights, sold everywhere for \$1, our price 60 cents. All Wool Underwear to be closed out regardless of cost.

To make a clean sweep in our Hat Department we will sell all hats, stiff and soft, at \$1, \$1.50 and \$2. That is, all hats in all styles, shapes and colors that we sold for \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75, price now, your choice, \$1. All hats that were sold for \$2, \$2.50 and \$2.75, price now \$1.50. All hats that we sold for \$3, \$3.50 and \$4, including all the celebrated makes we handle, price now \$2. This is no cost sale. It is 25 to 50 per cent less than cost, and we do this in order to sell every hat in the house.

Our Children's Suit department for this time of the year is amazingly large, comprising about 500 suits, sizes ranging from 3 to 16 years of age. We have made up our minds to accept a loss in this department, and we are positively going to sell these goods for less than cost.

\$1.25 and \$1.50 Boys Knee Pants Suits, price now \$	75
2.00	1.00
3.00	1.50
4.00 and 4.50	2.50
5.00 and 5.50	3.00
6.00 and 6.50	3.50

We will mention right here that we have about 70 extra fine Imported Worsteds and Scotch Cheviot Suits for children, ages 8 to 16 years, that we sold for \$7.50, \$9 and \$10, prices now \$4.50 and \$5. These prices are going to sell this line of goods, and mothers will do well to inspect this stock at an early date.

5) Caps Overcoats for children, ages 4 to 13 years, worth \$4 to \$6, prices now \$2.50 to \$3.50.

We are not advertising a cost sale in our Men's and Youth's Clothing and Overcoat Departments for here is where we are going to slaughter prices to move this mammoth stock.

Men's Suits that we sold from \$5 to \$8, prices now \$3.50.

Men's Suits that we sold from \$7.50 to \$9, prices now \$5.

Men's Suits that we sold from \$10 to \$12.50, prices now \$7.50.

Men's Suits that we sold from \$12.50 to \$15, prices now \$10.

Men's Suits that we sold from \$15 to \$18.50, prices now \$12.50.

Men's Suits that we sold at \$20, \$22 and \$25, prices now \$14.

Men's Overcoats that we sold from \$6, \$7.50, \$9, prices now \$4.50 and \$5.

Men's Overcoats that we sold from \$10 to \$12.50, price now \$7.50.

Men's Overcoats that we sold from \$15 to \$18.50, price now \$10.

We have a few fine Chinilla and Beaver Overcoats that we sold for \$20, \$22.50 and \$25, that we will close for \$13.50. These coats cost from \$14 to \$16.50. We must not carry over an overcoat this season.

A few odds and ends in Mackintoshes and Rubber Coats will be sold at one-half their value.

Black Pants in all sizes. We have on one counter 350 pairs black and blue-black Clay Worsteds, black and blue-black Cheviot pants. They are left from suits where the coats and vests have been sold. They are worth from \$4 to \$7 per pair. Your choice for \$3. Men's, Youths' and boys' pants in all sizes will be sold at a sacrifice.

This Great Reduction Sale means CASH ON DELIVERY OF GOODS. We will charge no goods at these prices. People who are skeptical, all we ask of them is to visit our store, and we will convince them that we mean business.

FISHBLATE-KATZ CO'PY,

High Art Clothiers,

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Carolina Shoe Company.

We are now fully established in our new quarters, 302 South Elm Street, and are prepared to show the hand-somest and most complete line of men's, ladies' and children's

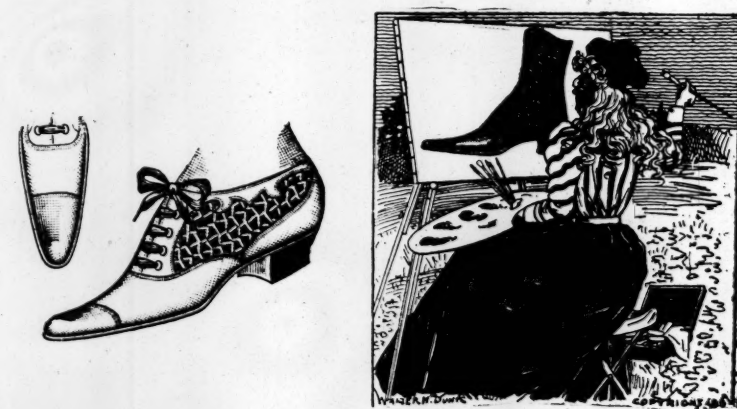
Fine Footwear

ever displayed in the state. All goods in our store are manufactured specially to our order and we know exactly what we are giving our customers. We want your trade.



Men's Fine Shoes

We are sole agents in Greensboro for the "Famous," "Bannisters," "Crossetts" and "Taylors" fine shoes for men—\$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$5.00; complete line of cheaper goods.



Ladies' Fine Shoes

We are sole agents in Greensboro for the celebrated "Laird, Schober & Co's," "Krippendorf, Dittman & Co's" and "Hayes Poolridge Shoe Co's" fine shoes, slippers and Oxford ties for ladies—\$2. \$2.50, \$3, \$3.50, \$4 and \$5; complete line of cheaper goods.



We are also sole agents for the best lines in America for boys, misses and children.

The oldest and best shoe experts in the shoe business concede the above makes to be the best, most stylish and perfect fitting shoes manufactured in this or any other country.

We show them in all the very latest up-to-date styles, including our famous "Foot Form" last for men, ladies and children.

Special Shoe Sale

In order to close out all heavy goods we will make Special Cut Prices during the next 30 days,

Carolina Shoe Co.,

302 South Elm Street.

A Disputed Hero.
"I suppose that Whittam is a great hero in your community," said a Detroit to a friend from one of the interior towns.
"Oh, I don't know!"
"Don't you know? Why, man, his bravery was remarkable! I read all about it in the papers. When his store was on fire, he rushed to the scene, disregarded the warnings shouted to him, pushed his way through the blinding smoke and seething flames and dropping firebrands to his office, dropped on his knees in the live coals before the safe, worked the hot knob until the combination caused the glowing doors to open, seized a valuable paper, rammed it beneath his vest to protect it from the raging element and staggered forth again from the consuming caldron. It was one of the most thrilling acts of bravery I ever heard of."
"Do you happen to know what that paper was for which Whittam risked his life?"
"No, but it must have been a very important document. No man would incur such danger without his very fortune was at stake."
"You'd think so, wouldn't you? Well, sir, that paper was the pedigree of Whittam's trotting horse that never beat \$28 and never will."—Detroit Free Press.

Hope of a Disturbance.
He had been tossed about uncomfortably for 80 years. He had a gentle, contemplative, book reading disposition, was fond of pretty things, good manners and repose. But he had had to work hard at things which ruffled his spirit. "Intolerable" was the word most frequently on his lips. But now he has an easy, salaried position, congenial work, and for the time is comfortable. The other evening he sat in his cheerful apartment, with a warm dressing gown about him, and talked to a friend about how the troubles of life had fallen away from him, how at last he had arrived in the haven. His friend told him that he was just in the condition to experience a new disturbance, deeper than all the others; that this rest was only a lull in the storm.
"What do you mean?" he asked.
The reply was a counter question.
"Are you as much resolved as ever to live alone?" this friend asked.
There was a pause. Then the contemplative man said slowly, "As an abstract proposition marriage doesn't seem as disagreeable to me as it did."
His friend smiled. "You will find that you will be deeply disturbed again before very long," he said.—New York Commercial Advertiser.

Convictions, Indeed!
"What a whip like," says Mr. Labouchere in London Truth, "is a sheep that never opens its mouth and which submissively goes into the pen to which the whip's finger points. Years ago I remember once voting on some very trifling issue against Liberal officialdom. The next time I met the chief whip he glared at me as though I were a monster of iniquity and asked me whether I could give any explanation of my conduct."
"I modestly replied that I had thought that the other side was right. He almost had a fit and gobbled at me like an irate turkey. I asked him whether I was to vote against my own convictions. 'Do—your convictions!' he said. 'A pretty pass things are coming to when one of our lot talks about convictions!'"

Not So Bad.
Brown lived between Gray and Green. Green was as quiet a neighbor as you could wish to have, and so was Gray, for that matter, but he had a barking dog that was the torment of Brown's life. One day in his desperation he told Gray that if he would get rid of the dog he would give him \$5.
"All right," said Gray. "I'll do it."
Meeting Gray down town that afternoon Brown asked, "Have you done what you agreed to do and got rid of that dog?"
Gray—Yes, I've got rid of him.
Brown—Thank goodness! Now I shall sleep nights. By the way, what did you do with him?
Gray—I sold him to Green. He gave me \$3 for him. Not so bad, eh?—Boston Transcript.

He Never Complained.
"I never complained," once said Se'di, the poet, "of my condition but on a single occasion, when my feet were bare and I had not money to buy shoes, but I saw a man without feet and became instantly contented with my lot."
Being asked from whom he learned his philosophy, Se'di replied, "From the blind, because they never advance a step until they have tried the ground."
"They asked me," Se'di writes in the Gulistan, "Of whom didst thou learn manners?" I replied: "From the unmannerly. Whatever I saw them do which I disapproved of, I saw them do from doing."

Hansom Cabs on the Stage.
Clement Scott used to think the first hansom cab driven on the stage was in Andrew Halliday's "Great City," at Drury Lane, in April, 1867. But an old playgoer writes to him: "The first hansom cab that was ever driven on the stage in my recollection was at the Olympia, under the management of George Wild, in the early part of 1841. It was in a drama by Leman Blanchard, called 'The Road of Life; or, A Cabman's Career.'"

Aristocracy of Doldrums.
"My doll can shut her eyes and go to sleep just lovely."
"Hub! My doll never goes to sleep at all; she's got insomnia."—Chicago Record.

Navigation in the Seas canal is often interrupted by sand storms.

In Malta fowls are plucked alive in the open market.

When you cannot sleep for coughing take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It always gives prompt relief. It is most excellent for colds, too, as it aids expectation, relieves the lungs and prevents any tendency toward pneumonia. For sale by C. E. Holton.

New York Safe.

Southampton, Jan. 21.—The intermediate cylinder of the New York broke and caused her to proceed at reduced speed.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

O. C. Wyson went to Asheville this morning.

Herman Buchanan spent yesterday in Salisbury.

John D. Wiley returned to Charlotte this morning.

J. M. Sikes, of Oxford, was here this morning.

R. L. Carr, of Durham, was in the city this morning.

Will P. Ragan is spending the day at Guilford College.

L. E. Steere, of Charlotte, spent last night at the McAdoo.

John G. Bryoe, of Charlotte, was at the Beabow last night.

B. H. Woodell, of Raleigh, spent last night at the McAdoo.

E. P. Wharton went to Charlotte this morning on business.

F. L. Fuller, of Durham, took supper at the McAdoo last night.

J. Sam Ingram, of the Telegram force, spent yesterday in Raleigh.

J. W. Merritt left this morning for a business trip in the southern part of the state.

Mrs. E. L. Piper returned Saturday from Durham where she has been for some time.

J. Van Lindley, of Pomona, passed through this morning going to Raleigh on business.

Bank Examiner Walter R. Henry spent yesterday in the city, stopping at the McAdoo.

C. A. Barnhardt, of Charlotte, spent yesterday in the city on very pleasant business.

Lieut. Gov. Chas. A. Reynolds passed through the city this morning returning to Raleigh from his home in Winston where he spent Sunday.

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For Sale in Greensboro by Jno. B. Fariss 121 South Elm Street.

Cut Flower Department
Pomona Hill Nurseries

Fine cut flowers from our large green houses now ready.
Long stem cut roses, \$1.25 to \$1.50 dozen. American Beauties, \$5 doz. Carnations, 50 to 75c doz. Chrysanthemums, 50c to \$1 doz. Brides Bouquets, \$5 and up. Floral and Funeral designs, \$2 to \$18 each. Fine decorative plants for banquets, weddings, etc. Poms from \$2 to \$15 each.

J. Van Lindley, Prop.,
Pomona Hill Nurseries.
Pomona, N. C.
Long Distance Phone 60

Notice of Application for Charter of Incorporation.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned and his associates will apply to the present session of the General Assembly of North Carolina for a charter, among other things, to develop the water power of the Yadkin and other rivers and convey it by means of wires to the various cities and towns of North Carolina, to construct and operate street railway power and electric light plants and gas plants and operate them in such cities and towns in North Carolina as may see fit to contract with an grant franchises to the corporation, and to furnish electric power to all persons desiring the same for manufacturing or other purposes.
J. S. HUNTER and his associates.
This January 30, 1899.

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A Full Line of Each, in Separate and Matched Patterns, Opened Today and at

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Carnations, 50c dozen Violets, single or double, 10c dozen

Orders received now for Roses and other plants to be set out in the spring.

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FALL OPENING of our line of Imported and Domestic Worsteds, Cassimeres, Cheviots, etc., and Sergees

We have a stylish and attractive line of goods for your inspection, and beg that you will give us an opportunity of showing them to you and quoting you prices before you order your fall suit. It will be a pleasure to serve you.

J. I. Rogers,
Manager for Kolman, the Up-to-Date Popular Price Tailor.

Pants to order, \$3 up. Suits to order, \$15 up. Repairing neatly done.

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382 South Elm Street, Clegg Building.

A. CARDI.

I understand that a report is being circulated in the city to the effect that I have retired from the insurance business and I desire to announce to my friends and the public generally, that this report is UNTRUE.

I am still actively engaged in the FIRE INSURANCE BUSINESS

And have recently associated with myself in the business Mr. S. H. Boyd. We can be found in our office, Room No. 6, KATZ BUILDING, at all times during business hours and will be glad to continue to serve our friends and the public.

We represent companies, whose SURPLUS aggregates more than \$35,000,000, and we will meet all

COMPETITION IN RATES,

giving to all business entrusted to us, prompt and careful attention.

Thanking my friends for their liberal patronage in the past and asking a continuance of the same, I am Yours truly,

R. G. GLENN.

Saturday

January 21

Dressed Hens

Dressed Young Chickens

Armour's Pork Sausage

Fresh Oysters

Kalamazoo Celery

Fresh Lettuce

Fresh Eggs 15c doz

Fresh Butter 20c lb

Try my Barbadoes Molasses, the best on the market.

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We Dye To Please The People

Where do you have your Dyeing, Cleaning and Pressing done. Call and see us. We make a specialty of this line. Our dyeing department is complete. We dye in any and all shades and colors. All work guaranteed. Special attention given to alterations.

Greensboro Pressing Club.

R. L. MITCHELL, Manager.
Office over C. M. Vanstory & Co.'s.

Its a Mistake

about

Mrs Jane Hopkins

appearing upon the stage at the Academy of Music tonight for the purpose of being hypnotized

Our latest information is that she is busily engaged in the manufacture of Spring Clothing for her many little friends here in town.

She is going to ship us more clothes this spring than ever before, and with a view to having plenty of room for the reception of our new stock, we are going to get the price of our winter weights down as low as possible. The garments are

All Wool

the pants made with double seat and double knee, with the seams all taped.

There are none that equal the Mrs. Jane Hopkins make. We are the exclusive handlers.

Rankin, Chisholm,
Stroud & Rees.

BRIEF LOCAL MATTERS.

Hon. A. M. Scales went to Raleigh at noon.

Judge John Gray Bynum went to Raleigh at noon.

Mrs. O. W. Carr, of Trinity, arrived at noon to spend a few days with relatives on college hill.

Butter cups, candy that is worth eating. Roses, almost any kind you want. See Lindau's ad for prices.

That Santanelli will have a crowd tonight is shown by the fact that the reserved seats were all taken by noon.

An interesting program at the West Market Street Epworth League tonight beginning promptly at 7:45. You are invited.

Judge O. H. Allen, of Kinston, passed through the city yesterday en route to Taylorsville, where he holds court this week.

Mrs. J. W. McNairy left this morning for Randolph county to visit her father Mr. J. W. Steed, who, we regret to learn, is quite sick.

S. J. Kaufmann, the up-to-date Benbow Haberdasher and dealer in men's shoes, left at noon today for Baltimore, to buy goods.

Capt. J. M. Green, of Washington, a high official of the Southern, is in the city on a short hunting trip. He is stopping at the Benbow.

Hon. R. B. Glenn, senator from Forsyth, passed through the city this morning returning to Raleigh from his home in Winston where he spent Sunday.

Rev. Dr. E. A. Yates, presiding elder of the Durham district, passed through this morning returning home from Yanceyville, where he preached yesterday.

Lieut. W. B. Lemley, of the U. S. cruiser Brooklyn, passed through the city this morning going to his home in Winston to spend a short furlough. Lieut. Lemley left Havana last Thursday.

Manager Blackburn and Prof. Brookmann have closed arrangements with E. B. Thural, of Chicago, Ill., to play the Louise Brehaney Concert and Opera Company, at the academy of music, February 8th.

Miss Lala Smith has returned from a very pleasant visit to Burlington and Hillsboro. She was accompanied home by Misses Fannie Stubbins and Lula Long, of Burlington, who will spend a few days with her.

J. G. Dowd, of Charlotte, spent Saturday and Sunday in the city with his sister Mrs. T. N. Ivey and left at noon today for Cincinnati, O. He is travelling salesman for the Brown Carriage Co. of the latter place.

It's all a fabrication about Mrs. Jane Hopkins becoming a subject for hypnotic experiments. If you will read the new ad of Rankin Chisholm Stroud & Rees today you will find out what she has consented to do and is doing.

Solicitor A. L. Brooks returned home Saturday night from Durham where he appeared as solicitor in his first court. Mr. Brooks made a good impression on the people of Durham and the press speaks of his work in the highest terms.

Dr. Charles D. McIver, and Professors J. Y. Joyner and P. P. Claxton, of the Normal and Industrial College, went to Raleigh today to meet, by request, with the legislature educational committee, to confer concerning the change of school laws. Dr. Alderman of the University, and other prominent educators of the state have also been invited to meet with the committee.

Come Out Tonight.

All those who signed the petition for the repeal of the Purchase Tax law, and all those who should sign it, are urged to attend a meeting of the business men of Greensboro at the court house tonight at 8 o'clock. It is important that there should be a full attendance. J. W. Scott, Chm. W. M. Barber, Sec.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by C. E. Holton.

Commenting on the heading of a news article in one of its contemporaries, "A Platform Collapses at a Bryan Meeting," the Buffalo Commercial observes that "coming events cast their shadows before."

A Clever Trick.

It certainly looks like it, but there is really no trick about it. Anybody can try it who has lame back or weak kidneys, malaria or nervous troubles. We mean he can cure himself right away by using Electric Bitters. This medicine tones up the whole system, acts as a stimulant to liver and kidneys, is a blood purifier and nerve tonic. It cures constipation, headache, fainting spells, sleeplessness and melancholy. It is purely vegetable, a mild laxative, and restores the system to its natural vigor. Try Electric Bitters and be convinced that they are a miracle worker. Every bottle guaranteed. Only 50c a bottle at C. E. Holton's drug store.

British Red Coats Coming.

For the first time in the history of the United States, since all the English red coats were driven out of the time of the Revolution, will Her Majesty's scarlet be seen here. The crack Military Band of England, the English Guards led by Lieutenant Dan Godfrey, for forty years bandmaster of the Grenadier Guards, and composed of picked men from the Guards regiments, come out to America early in March, appearing first at Washington before the President.

In large cities their concerts are under the patronage of the governor of the state and the highest military and civil authorities and their appearance is being made the occasion of an outburst of international friendliness now so happily existing between the two great people of the Anglo-Saxon race. A representative of the English Director, Mr. Chas. A. E. Harris is in the city today and it is probable, if a large suitable hall can be secured, the band may be heard here, if so our English cousins may be sure of a big reception in Greensboro.

Skating Rink Sold.

Harry Sergeant has purchased the skating rink from W. B. Hogart, and will continue to do business at the old stand. The rink will be open every afternoon this week, though, owing to the shows in town, will be closed at night. Everybody 10 cents in the afternoon and ladies free every night next week.

Harry will make some improvements at the rink and do everything to make it an attractive place.

Pillsbury's Vitos

The Ideal Wheat
Food, 15 cents.

Fresh Catawba Grapes

20c

Plenty Fresh Oysters

W. E. Lewis,

534 S. Elm St. Phone 160.

SPECIAL SALE

Gents Winter Underwear

We have too many of the following on hand and in order to dispose of them quickly, have determined to cut the prices.

Gents heavy natural wool shirts and drawers, worth \$1, cut to 59c.

Gents heavy camels hair shirts and drawers, formerly 75c, now 42c.

Gents heavy fleeced shirts and drawers, white or natural wool color, worth 75c, cut to 39c.

Gents pure white lambs wool shirts and drawers, the regular \$1 quality, cut to 50c.

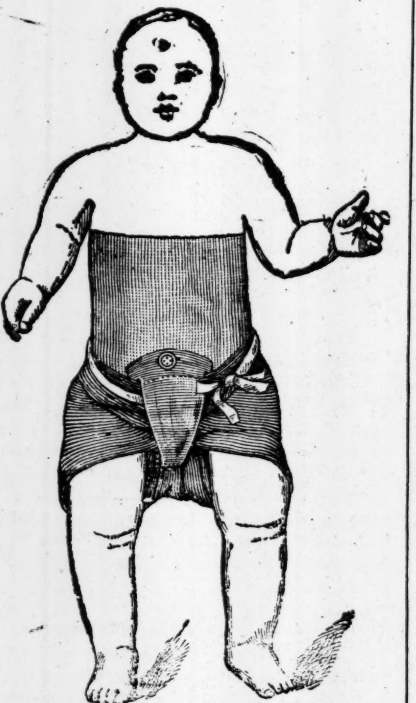
Gents medicated scarlet shirts and drawers, formerly \$1, now 69c.

Gents pure camels hair shirts and drawers, formerly \$1.25, cut to 79c.

Gents heavy ribbed balbriggan shirts and drawers, were 49c, now 33c.

Boys heavy fleeced shirts and drawers, worth 35c, cut to 21c.

Baby's Friend Pinless Diaper.



Every mother who desires absolute comfort for her child should see them. We are selling agents for Greensboro.

D. BENDHEIM & SONS

230 South Elm Street

Knabe, Malcom Love, Alexander

and your choice from the best Pianos. I am prepared to meet all competition in the piano line, Quality, Touch, Tone and Durability being the points at issue. Consult economy and see my pianos.

Jno. B. Wright, 104 So. Elm Street, Greensboro, N. C.



Don't Wait
For It to Snow

to place your orders for coal. Have your bin full.

CUNNINGHAM BROS.,

CASH COAL DEALERS

have a ton of the Best Prime Jellico awaiting your order.

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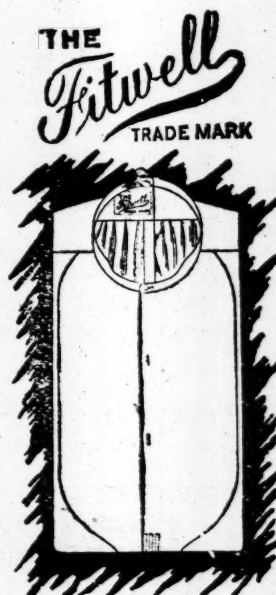
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Carolina Shoe Company.

Wishing you a Merry Christmas, a happy New Year, and many returns of both, with our most hearty thanks for your kind and generous patronage, we are yours,

S. B. NORRIS, Manager,
Carolina Shoe Co.

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Strictly Cash. Strictly One Price.

All Goods Marked in Plain Figures.

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Some Facts About Our
MANTELS.

1. They are of handsome designs. We "pick out" the best that a number of the best factories in the country can offer. We have a number of new and handsome designs now in stock.

2. They are made of selected woods. There is a great deal of difference in woods—even in oak woods. Let us show you the difference between a piece of plain, coarse grained oak, and a piece of handsome, quartered oak.

3. The workmanship and finish are faultless. Made and polished like a piano.

Grates and tiles to harmonize with the mantels and all to harmonize with the finish of your room.

4. The people buy them. We furnished one customer over seventy mantels, with tiles. This speaks for itself.

Odell Hardware Company

This Space Reserved

COLE'S Air Tight Heaters

Still In The Lead.
Neat and Economical.
New Triumph Meat Mill,
Without an Equal.



Turkey Roasters,
Carving Knives, Coal Vases, and
a seasonable line of Hard-
ware at lowest prices

Greensboro Hardware Company

Everybody Expects

a little more for their money these times—and they aren't disappointed. Finding a bargain is like finding anything else, it makes the finder happy.

The place to find bargains is at Shrier's Shoe Store, where bargains reign supreme.

Ladies' \$2.50 and \$3.50 sample shoes, \$1.79

Misses' and children's \$1.50 and \$1.75 sample shoes, \$1.19

Men's \$2.50 sample shoes, \$1.69

Ladies' fine dress boots in lace or button, regular \$3.00 kind, \$2.48

Ladies' dongola button or lace shoes, kid tip, regular \$2.00 kind, \$1.48

Infant's fine kid hand turned shoes, former price 75 cents, now 48 cents

Men's \$3 box calf shoes, \$2.48

Men's \$3 heavy sole tan shoes, \$2.48

Shrier's Exclusive Shoe Store.

216 South Elm Street. Mail Orders Receive Prompt Attention.

We have been made Exclusive Agents

For the Sale of the Celebrated

Centmeri Kid Glove.

It can be bought hereafter only through us.

BROWN'S.

Here Is Something to Consider

On and including the time between January 10th and March 10th, 1899, we are going to set free of cost, any amount of

Grates, Mantels or Tiles

bought from us during that time, amounting to \$25 or more.

Or, if you contemplate building in the spring, and will buy the goods from us and will make a reasonable deposit on them between the dates mentioned, we will set them for you when you get ready, provided it is before July 1, 1899.

REMEMBER, you pay no more for your goods than at any other time.

Cut this out if you are interested.

McClamroch Brothers,

The Up-to-Date Fireplace People.